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PERFORMANCE OF ITI MANKAPUR
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether production in the I.T.I., Mankapur has been less than the prescribed quota this year;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government propose to modernise I.T.I., Mankapur; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) In view of the induction of new technology equipment in the DOT, MTNL and others, the production of old technology E10 B switching equipment for which the ITI Mankapur Plant was set up is being phased out.ITI Mankapur is now manufacturing new technology Switching equipment like OCB CSN but due to intense competition in the Telecom Sector cost of new technology equipment has come down drastically. Therefore, production in financial terms is reduced.

(c)&(d): ITI Mankapur plant is already modernized with all the infrastructual facilities for manufacture of new technology equipment.